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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

**SUMMARY JURISDICTION.**

FOREIGN ATTACHMENT.

Suit No. 446 of 1897.

Plaintiffs—WING YUEN & CO.

Defendants—F. and A. COLLINS.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a Writ of Foreign Attachment returnable on the 20th day of May, 1897, against all the property moveable or immovable of the above-named Defendants within the Colony of Hongkong has been issued in this Suit pursuant to the provisions of Section LXXXII of the "Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure."

Dated this 5th day of May, 1897.

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Hongkong, 6th May, 1897. [1099]

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Hongkong, 5th May, 1897. [1096]

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Hongkong, 6th May, 1897. [1097]

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Hongkong, 15th April, 1897. [22]

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Hongkong, 1st May, 1897. [1063]

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Hongkong, 2nd April, 1897. [1061]

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Hongkong, 5th May, 1897. [1062]

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THE Steamship

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Hongkong, 5th May, 1897. [1069]

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THE Steamship

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Hongkong, 3rd May, 1897. [1049]

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Hongkong, 3rd May, 1897. [1064]

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Hongkong, 3rd May, 1897. [1049]

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Captain F. Schmid, will be despatched as

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Hongkong, 3rd May, 1897. [1039]

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Hongkong, 4th May, 1897. [1053]

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JAPAN-BOMBAY LINE.

MONTHLY SERVICE.

(UNDER MAIL CONTRACT.)

FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, AND

BOHAI.

THE Company's Steamship

"MIKIMARU."

Captain P. H. Goings, will be despatched for the above ports on TUESDAY, the 11th inst., at NOON.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

NISSON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 4th May, 1897. [1062]

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

NISSON YUSEN KAISHA

TRANS-PACIFIC LINE

MONTHLY SERVICE

FOR SHATTLE WASHINGTON VIA KODA AND YOKOHAMA.

(Through Passenger Tickets and Bills of Lading issued for the principal Cities in the UNITED STATES, CANADA, and EUROPE, in connection with the Great Northern Railway and Atlantic Steamers.)

THE Company's Steamship

"HIROSHIMA MARU"

Captain G. Shimizu, will be despatched as above

TO-DAY, the 18th inst., at NOON.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON &amp; CO.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1897. [1063]

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR

STRaits, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA,

INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT,

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THROUGH BILLS OF LADING ISSUED FOR

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THE Steamship

"MIRAZOPORE,"

Captain J. P. Johnson, carrying His

Majesty's Mats, will be despatched from

TOMBAWEE, the 18th inst., at NOON,

the 18th inst., taking Passengers and

Cargo for the above Ports.

Sail and Vessels, all Cargo for France, and

Tea for London (under arrangement) will be

transhipped at Colombo into a steamer pro-

ceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other

cargo for London, Acc., will be conveyed via

Bombay.

Parcels will be received at this Office until

4 P.M. before sailing. The Counter and

Vessel of all Passages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note

the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills

of Lading.

For further Particulars, apply to

H. A. RITCHIE,

Superintendent.

Hongkong, 2nd April, 1897. [1061]

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE,

AND NAGASAKI.

(Passing through the ISLAND SEA).

THE Company's Steamship

"HOHENZOLLERN"

Captain H. Becker, will leave for the above

ports TO-DAY (THURSDAY), the 6th inst., at NOON.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

MELCHERS &amp; CO.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 5th May, 1897. [1062]

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE Steamship

"LOONGMOON."

Captain F. Schulz, will be despatched for the above port TO-DAY, the 6th inst., at 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSEN &amp; CO.

Hongkong, 5th May, 1897. [1069]

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Steamship

"WALLY."

Captain Behman, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 7th inst., at 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE,

Agents.